

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY**

JEAN-CLAUDE FRANCHITTI, ON
BEHALF OF THE UNITED STATES
OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY
SOLUTIONS CORPORATION and
COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY
SOLUTIONS U.S. CORPORATION

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 3:17-cv-06317

ORDER

This matter having come before the Court on Defendants' motion numbered ECF No. 171 and the Court, having carefully reviewed and taken into consideration the submissions of the parties, as well as the arguments and exhibits therein presented; the arguments presented at oral argument; and for the reasons stated in its August 16, 2023 Order:

IT IS on this **19th** day of **December, 2023**,

ORDERED that Defendants' Motion to Certify the Court's Order for an Interlocutory Appeal (ECF No. 171) is **DENIED**; and it is further

ORDERED that Defendants' Motion to Stay Proceedings Pending Appeal (ECF No. 171) is **DENIED** as moot.

s/Peter G. Sheridan
PETER G. SHERIDAN, U.S.D.J.